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Art Unit: 1614

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APPLICATION NO: 10/716,012

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FOR: METHODS AND COMPOUNDS FOR PRODUCING DIPEPTIDYL  
PEPTIDASE IV INHIBITORS AND INTERMEDIATES THEREOF

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a)(2)(iii), applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to related application Nos. 11/091,183 filed on March 28, 2005 and 11/104,015 filed on April 12, 2005.

A copy of this reference is enclosed herewith.

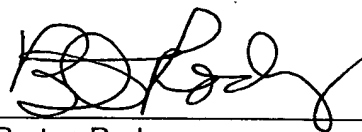


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Respectfully submitted,

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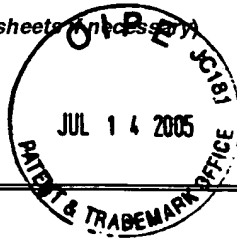
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